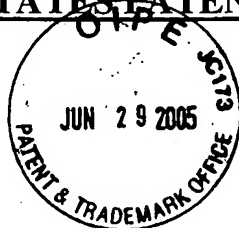


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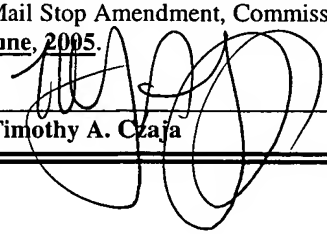
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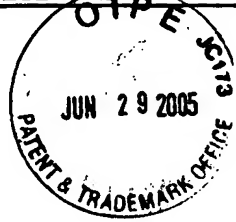
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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed May 26, 2005 and recites claim amendments to be entered prior to examination.